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Submitted herewith are the following:

- (1) Copy of a Japanese Office Action dated September 29, 2009 (and English translation thereof) issued in Japanese Application No. 2007-268275, which is a counterpart of related U.S. Application Serial No. 11/486,455;
- (2) Foreign documents H-L, which were cited in said Japanese Office Action dated September 29, 2009;
- (3) Copy of a Supplementary European Search Report in English dated November 5, 2009 issued in a counterpart European Application of related U.S. Application Serial No. 12/062,399;
- (4) Foreign documents M-P and NPL document R, which were cited in said Supplementary European Search Report dated November 5, 2009 (Document G was also cited in said European Search Report); and
- (5) IDS Form.

An English translation of said Japanese Office Action is provided, thereby satisfying the requirements for a concise explanation of relevance for the non-English language documents cited therein (MPEP 609.04(a)III).

Documents A-F were cited by the U.S. Examiner in a Notice of Allowance dated October 8, 2009 that issued in related U.S. Application Serial No. 10/521,778.

Documents EE-JJ were cited by the U.S. Examiner in an Office Action dated November 16, 2009 in related U.S. Application Serial No. 12/141,812.

Document KK was cited by the U.S. Examiner in an Office Action dated December 9, 2009 in related U.S. Application No. 12/062,399.

Documents AA-DD are the U.S. patent family members of foreign documents M-P, respectively.

It is requested that an initialed copy of the IDS Form be returned to indicate that the documents listed therein have been considered and made of record.

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